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Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a one month extension of time to file a response to the Advisory Action mailed 03/13/2007. The extended period is set to expire on 04/04/2007. A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a one month extension of time.

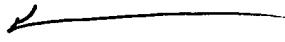
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